## Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY BY ENING, JANUARY 6.

New Year's calls.

1-12 M. So it is you! I began to be anxious-You said you'd come early, you know; Besides, I had counted upon you, And it isn't like you to be slow.

Is that your new dress? How becoming ! Pray how do you like mine, my dear?

Ma's grand in black velvet and diamonds.

Are you roady? Then walk right in here. There's the table. The restaurateur spread it.

Pa said it wasn't worth while, But what is the good of his money, If we don't have things done up in style?

I wish Fanny Harris could see it; She'd be awful jeslous. But then That's the worst of these New Year's receptions, Nobody sees things but the man.

They won't care for the fruit and the flowers, Well, there's plenty of wine, I am sure. Come, Nell, get yourself in position. Be quick! There's a ring at the door. 11-12 Р. М.

Bring the card baskels in from the hall, John, And put the dead latch on the door. Let Ned in; if any one else comes,

Just say the reception is o'er. Come. Nell, have some turkey and salad, I'm starved, and I hope you are toc, Has been here to day that we knew.

Please count the cards, ma. The reception Has been, I think, a success.
What a shame in that tipsy Fitznoodle
To spiil claret punch on my dress!

Then there was young Schumaker Fahdings Could scarcely tell his heels from his head, Making love to me; it was disgusting, He should have been home in bed.

What was it you said, ms ?-three hundred? Indeed, that will do pretty well.

Make ra see that it gets in the parers,
And becure he con't orget Nell.

A MARRIAGE IN DEBLASKA .- [Lincoln (Nob.) Journal, December 27 ]-Married at the Church of the Holy Trinity, from the residence of Mrs Cattle, the sister of the bride, Miss Florence Kate Smith to Lord Clyfford, of Les, Engand, by Rev. C. C. Harris, rector. After the ceremony the happy pair returned to a most artistically-served breakfast from these excellent caterers Bartram and Wolfe, and left at once for their home in England. Lord Clyfford, we understand, is a young naval chicer in the English service, and a younger brother until a short time since, when the sudden death of his elder brother, an officer in India, serving in the Afghanis-tan war, left him the heir to the title and property. He thereupon resigned his commission in the navy, and, finding himself in the land of his flancee, as he was serving on the man-of-war that brought the Marquis of Lorne and Princess the blance of the property of the Louise to our shores, he came to Nebraska for her, prior to his return to England to take pos-cteion of his new heritage. The wedding was very quiet and private, but few beyond the par-ties interested knowing of the contemplated change in Miss Smith's life, so suddenly entered upon, until after the ceremony. Ber friends in Lincoln wish her shundant happiness.

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Washington, D. C., North and Northeastern mails 12 m. and 8 30 p. m.

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m. and 5 00 p m. Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, (through mail) 6 00 a m. and 5 00 p. m.
Alexandria to Lynchburg. Va. (way mails) including through mails, 600 a. m. Danville,

Va., 600 p. m. Manassas Division 600 a. m. Alexandria to Lound Hill, Va., 800 a. m.

Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8 30 a. m. and 2 00 and 6 00 p m.
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lon 8 30 s. m.

Round Hill to Alexandris, Va., 3 30 p. m.

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The Deleterious Use of Alum in

Bread and Baking Powders. BY HENRY A. MOTT, JR., PH.D., E. M.

Out of the many baking powders I have examined, I have selected the more prominent ones that are adulterated, giving in each case a quantitative analysis of the same. The following analyses are of 'Doeley's Standard Baking Powder," "Charm Baking Powder," and the baking powder manufactured by C E. Andrews & Co., of Milwsukee. The analysis of the last three baking powders given in the first column was made by Professor Robert W. Schedier. NO. 1-DOOLEY'S STANDARD BAKING POWDER.

Burnt Alum...... 25 45 per ct Bicarbonate of coda 24 17 Sesquicarbonate of Ammonia 231 Cream of Tartar None Starch...... 47 U7

NO. 2-PATAPSCO BAKING POWDER, Smith, Hanway & Co., Baltimore, Md. Analysis by

Dr. Mott. 20 03 per ct Burnt Alum......19 16 per ct 2281 Bicarbonate of Soda ... 23 36 None 57.17 Cream of Tartar ...... None 100,00 100 00

NO. 3-CHARM BAKING POWDER, Rohrer, Christian & Co., St. Louis, Missouri. Analysis by Dr. Mott.

Burnt Alum ...... 29 60 per et 30 t6 per ct Bicarbonate of Soda 21 13 31 82 None Cresm of Tartsr ..... None 38 12 ..... 39 27 Starch .... 100 00 100 00

NO. 4-BAKING POWDER Manufactured by C. E. Andrews & Co., Milwaukee, Wicconsin,

Burnt Alum...... 22 53 per ct Bicarbonato of Soda..... 21 79 Cresm of Tartar..... None

On reviewing the above analyses it will be seen that, in the "Patapaco Powder," above 10 per cent of barnt alum is used; over 22 per ct. in "Andrew's," over 26 per cent in "Dooiey's," and about 30 per cent in the "Charm."

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" 10 20 " ... Orange ..... " 5 53 "

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4.0) " ....Staunton river " 12 16 p.m.
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The news of the National Capital will be carefully looked after. The year 1879 will see the control of both branches of Congress returned to the Democratic Conservative party, and this section of the country, so usjustly dealt with for many years, may look to see fairer measures inaugurated. Since the seat of the Federal government was established in Washington the Gazette has never been without a full representation in the corps of correspondents there, and especial pains will be taken this year that everything of interest, especially such matters as have a special reference to Virginia, shall be promptly and fully reported. The proceedings of the Legislative, Executive or Judicial Departments of the Government will find their earliest record

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